

03500.102480

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

|                                |   |                             |
|--------------------------------|---|-----------------------------|
| In re Application of:          | ) |                             |
|                                | : | Examiner: Dahimene, Mahmoud |
| MASAHIKO KUBOTA ET AL.         | ) |                             |
|                                | : | Group Art Unit: 1792        |
| Application No.: 10/565,658    | ) |                             |
|                                | : | Confirmation No.: 5506      |
| Filed: January 24, 2006        | ) |                             |
|                                | : |                             |
| For: LIQUID DISCHARGE HEAD     | ) |                             |
| MANUFACTURING METHOD, AND      | : |                             |
| LIQUID DISCHARGE HEAD OBTAINED | ) | November 16, 2009           |
| USING THIS METHOD              | : | (Monday)                    |

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated August 14, 2009, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks.